publication of this document in the Federal Register. Therefore, a comment is best assured of having its full effect if OMB receives it within 30 days of publication. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent directly to the following: Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503, Attn: Ms. Wendy Taylor.

Dated: May 10, 1996. Roberta Katson, Director, Office of Information Resource Management Services. [FR Doc. 96–14723 Filed 6–10–96; 8:45 am]

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Proposed collection; comment request; the NIH Consultant Information File System

SUMMARY: In compliance with the requirement of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, for opportunity for public comment on proposed data collection projects, the Division of Research Grants (DRG), the National Institutes of Health (NIH) will publish periodic summaries of proposed projects to be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval.

PROPOSED COLLECTION: Title: The NIH Consultant Information File System. Type of Information Collection Request: REVISION Form Number: OMB 0925-0358 (approved through 9/30/96) NIH 2668-1; 2663-3. Need and Use of Information Collection: Directly support the recruitment and appointment of experts that provide scientific merit and program relevance evaluations of the research grant applications and research contract proposals submitted to the NIH. The primary objective of this system is to support the NIH Peer Review system, but other PHS review administrative staff use the system to identify experts to support their advisory committees. Frequency of Response: Intake established record on file, candidate can initiate the updating of their information at any time, formal information update requested every 24 months. Affected Public: Not-for-profit institutions; business or other for-profit; Federal Government. Type of Respondents: Adult scientific professionals. The annual reporting burden is as follows: Estimated Number of Respondents: 8,118; Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 1; Average Burden Hours Per Response: 0.333; and Estimated Total Annual

Burden Hours Requested: 2,703. The estimated annualized cost to respondents is \$148,665 (Using a \$55 physician/professor hourly wage rate.) There are no Capital Costs to report. There are no Operating or Maintenance Costs to report.

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS: Written comments and/or suggestions from the public and affected agencies are invited on one or more of the following points: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) The accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: To request more information on the proposed project or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, contact CAPT Edward C. Farley, USPHS Project Clearance Officer, DRG, NIH, Rockledge II Building, Room 3032, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892–7762, or call non-toll-free number (301) 594–0601 or E-mail your request, including your address to: efarley@nih.gov.

COMMENTS DUE DATE: Comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if received by August 12, 1996.

Dated: June 3, 1996.
John H. Jones,
Acting Executive Officer, DRG.
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National Cancer Institutes: Notice of Closed Meeting

Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following meeting of the National Cancer Institute Initial Review Group:

Agenda/Purpose: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Committee Name: Subcommittee F— Manpower and Training Subcommittee. Date: June 19–21, 1996. Time: 8 a.m. *Place:* The St. James Hotel, 950 24th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037.

Contact Person: Mary Bell, Ph.D., 6130 Executive Blvd., Room 611A, Bethesda, Md 20892, Telephone: 301–496–7978.

The meeting will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the meeting due to the urgent need to meet timing limitations imposed by the review and funding cycle.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Numbers: 93.393, Cancer Cause and Prevention Research; 93.394, Cancer Detection and Diagnosis Research; 93.395, Cancer Treatment Research; 93.396, Cancer Biology Research; 93.397, Cancer Centers Support; 93.398, Cancer Research Manpower, 93.399, Cancer Control.)

Dated: June 5, 1996. Susan K. Feldman, Committee Management Officer, NIH. [FR Doc. 96–14643 Filed 6–10–96; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4140–01–M

National Institute of Mental Health; Notice of Closed Meeting

Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following meeting of the National Institute of Mental Health Special Emphasis Panel:

Agenda/Purpose: To review and evaluate grant applications

Committee Name: National Institute of Mental Health Special Emphasis Panel. Date: June 11, 1996.

Time: 1 p.m.

Place: Parklawn Building, Room 9C–26, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857.

Contact Person: Phyllis D. Artis, Parklawn Building, Room 9C–26, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, Telephone: 301, 443–6470.

The meeting will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

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